

EVAN STEPHENS TELLS OF THE INSULT OFFERED THE TABERNACLE CHOIR

It was not such a serious matter at Seattle after all. It didn't bother us more than ten minutes and then we began to forget it. The final episode occurred when Secretary Williams very curtly told our manager, George Carpenter, that "You pay to get in or you don't get in." This was the climax to what we considered discourtesy in the way of ignoring us entirely. We were there three days but no member of the committee called to see if we were dead or alive. We felt that this was not so very bad, since the public had become intensely interested in us. On the Thursday night previous our concert had crowded the auditorium for the first time since the fair opened. Our refusal, or you might call it our withdrawal from the contest, was not so much because of the demand of 75 cents apiece from our singers, although we considered this charge ridiculous. Our choir was the chief attraction and many of the people of Seattle conceded this, and, of course, we could not understand why we should be charged admission to our own show. The cash demand played a small part compared to what seemed to be their studied intention of ignoring us. When the matter was put up to our singers they were unanimous in their feelings against entering under the conditions.

Our meeting upon the steps of the Auditorium hall was forced by the doors leading to the stage being locked. We had called at the stage entrance for our rehearsal, as we had failed to get the hall the previous evening on account of a meeting held there by the conservation congress. Failing to get in, I asked the singers to take their places on the steps so that we could arrange the order of their appearance in the evening. While we were standing there Secretary Williams made the curt announcement to our manager. A short conference followed with our singers and we disbanded.

—EVAN STEPHENS,
Director Tabernacle Choir.

The foregoing statement was made to a reporter by Director Evan Stephens of the Salt Lake Tabernacle choir when the special train occupied by the singers reached Ogden a few minutes before 1 o'clock this morning. All of the members of the choir aboard received the insult directed at their organization by the management of the Elstedstad held in Seattle, with apparently good grace. In fact, many regard the demand for admission from the members of the choir as a compliment to the organization, which unquestionably would have carried away first honors if the choir had entered the contest.

The manager of the fair realized this and doubtless had foreseen enough to assure him that the demand for admission from the members of the choir would be resented and the desired withdrawal of the members of the Salt Lake choir would follow.

CHARGES MADE AGAINST VERNAL WHEELWRIGHT

Alleging that he is a menace to the children in the neighborhood by his acts of immorality; that he has been guilty of indecent conduct, and that his unruliness has caused his expulsion from the city schools, Mrs. Lulu M. Reynolds yesterday afternoon filed a complaint in the Juvenile court

charging Vernal Wheelwright with general delinquency.

Young Wheelwright was arrested a year ago on the charge of a felonious assault said to have been committed against Olive Reynolds, the little daughter of Mrs. Lulu Reynolds. At the recent session of the district court the case against him was dismissed because of a lack of evidence to substantiate the charge, the youthfulness of the prisoner also being taken into consideration.

Mrs. Reynolds now asks that the juvenile court have the boy brought up for a hearing.

LIGHTNING HITS THE OAKS RESORT

Miss Bertha Parkinson was struck by a bolt of lightning at the Oaks resort at 4 o'clock yesterday afternoon and for two hours her life was despaired of. By heroic work her life was saved through the efforts of Dr. Woolley and others who assisted in the work of resuscitation.

Miss Parkinson was standing directly under an electric drop light in the kitchen when the house was struck. The bolt tore open the roof, and following the course of the electric wire, shattered the globe, passing into the ground.

Miss Parkinson is believed to have received the full force of the lightning. Her body was rigid for some time after the flash. Assistance arrived immediately after the blinding flash and willing hands soon succeeded in bringing back the life which had apparently fled.

The storm which passed over the canyon in the afternoon did no other damage, but many campers were inconvenienced by the rain, which seemed to fall in bucket fulls.

The injured young lady is a guest of Mrs. C. S. Potter of the Oaks resort.

INSTRUCTORS AT REFORM SCHOOL

Dr. E. G. Gowans, of Salt Lake City, the recently appointed superintendent of the State Industrial school, began his new duties at the institution last night. Dr. Gowans succeeds Superintendent H. H. Thomas, who handed his resignation to the board of trustees of the reformatory a short time after the investigating committee appointed by Governor William Spry completed the work of probing into the charges of incompetency and unfitness preferred by a committee of local citizens.

Superintendent Gowans is assisted by E. J. Milne, who was appointed chief clerk at the school. The office of assistant superintendent held by Captain W. E. Kneass was abolished by the board and the new office created in its place.

While the list of teachers, heads of the various departments and employees of the school appointed by the new superintendent has not yet been completed, the following have been named by Superintendent Gowans:

Superintendent of farm and grounds, T. C. Meyers; teachers, Misses Mitchell, Griswold and Anderson; military instructor, George E. Cleveland; manual training, Charles Mortensen; T. J. Edwards, B. F. Stevens and P. N. Griffin, director of the band, E. W. Nichols; vocal instructor, Miss Lou Mitchell; instructor in barbering, Hyrum White; consulting dentist, Dr. Fred N. Clark.

Other minor assistants will be named by the new board of the institution in a few days. A number of changes in the method of management at the school will be put into force as soon as Superintendent Gowans becomes familiar with his new duties.

ADDRESS DELIVERED BY MRS. LIZZIE PLATT

Mrs. Lizzie Platt of Kansas City, Mo., supreme instructor for the Royal Neighbors of America, delivered an interesting address before local Excelsior camp No. 3240 and members of the Modern Woodmen of America at Eagles' hall last night. Mrs. Platt spoke on "Fraternal Protection." She called attention to a masterly manner to the great good accomplished by such protection afforded by the organization which she represents and the large amount of misery and deprivation which it prevents.

The Royal Neighbors of America is an auxiliary organization to the Modern Woodmen of America. There are about eighty members in the local camp and a total membership in the United States of 250,000. According to Mrs. Platt there has been a gain in the membership of the organization of 27,000 during the past four months.

Mrs. Platt is making a tour of the west delivering addresses to the various camps and demonstrating the ritualistic work of the order. At the meeting held last night an excellent musical program was rendered by members of the two organizations. At the conclusion of Mrs. Platt's address she was presented with a handsome souvenir spoon of Ogden by her friends here.

Today Mrs. Platt will go to Salt Lake, where she will speak tonight. Mrs. E. Lindner of Salt Lake, the district deputy for Utah, was present at the meeting last night. Mrs. Lindner will return to Ogden within a few days to take charge of a booth and rest tent for visiting members of the Royal Neighbors who will come to Ogden during the fair.

The local camp is working for the seventy-five-dollar cash prize offered by the organization to the camp which makes the largest monthly increase in membership. The principal officers of the local camp are: Oracle, Mrs. Mary Dora; past oracle, Mrs. Mary Heffner; vice oracle, Mrs. Annie Turner; recorder, Miss Lillian Newton; chancellor, Mrs. Matilda Lyman; physicians, Dr. Anna F. Ries and Dr. E. P. Mills.

BUY SUPPLIES FOR OGDEN CITY SCHOOLS

The city board of education met at the city hall last night in special session to authorize the purchase of pianos for the primary departments of the schools and twenty typewriters to be used in the commercial department of the high school.

The board decided to buy ten Underwood machines and the same number of Remingtons. The purchases were made direct from the manufacturers. The pianos were bought from local agencies.

Joseph Young was appointed janitor for the new high school building. Mr. Young's duties will begin when the high school opens September 13.

All members of the board were present, except Dr. C. G. Coulter.

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SALT LAKE AND STATE NEWS

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Up to the present something over \$33,000 has been expended in the construction of the center and south wings, which will be occupied by the school at its opening on Sept. 20, while the construction of the north wing will be pushed as rapidly as practicable. The new building is three stories above the basement, faces west, and makes a very imposing appearance in its commanding position. It is built of red pressed brick, in gothic style, with well-arranged class rooms, commodious assembly hall, and conveniently fitted gymnasium.

It overlooks the beautiful Bear river valley. The school has an excellent building, and there will be a considerable expenditure the coming year in the establishment of a chemical laboratory and a domestic science department.

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Four Vans Purchased.

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SCHOOL OPENS TUESDAY, SEPT. 7.

France, calling attention to the distressing prevalence of cruelty to domestic animals and ordering the rigorous prosecution of persons guilty of cruelty.

KILLED BY AUTOMOBILE.

Walla Walla, Wash., Aug. 31.—Delos H. Coffin, a wealthy farmer living near Walla Walla, tonight was killed by an automobile driven by John A. Baxter, a millionaire real estate dealer of this city. The inmates of the car were surrounded by a mob and had it not been for the intervention of officers some of them might have been injured.

SPANIARDS FEEL WELL.

Melilla, Aug. 31.—A visit today to the Spanish base at Zoco de Larba disclosed the fact that the Spanish lines of communication are now absolutely safe and that the spirit of the men is excellent. The Spanish troops feel that they are in a position to meet the enemy on terms of equality and all are clamoring to be led forward.

OPEN AIR SCHOOLS FOR SICK.

Washington, Aug. 31.—Open air schools for the accommodation of tubercular pupils have received the approval of the commissioners of the District of Columbia, and the board of education is now perfecting arrangements for the opening of two such buildings, one for which and the other for colored pupils.

QUIET IN STRIKE DISTRICT.

Pittsburg, Aug. 31.—Conditions in the strike district of the Pressed Steel Car company were quiet today. The strikers who still occupied company houses, vacated during the forenoon, but six children were in attendance at the public school of Preston. About 160 new men were taken into the plant today.

LETTER LIST.

List of letters remaining in the post-office at Ogden, Utah, which, if not called for in two weeks, will be sent to the Dead Letter office:

Gentlemen's List.

Albrecht, Arnold C. Knudson, Clarence Burgess, Hal Kelly, E. E. Becker, John L. Kelly, E. E. Brown, M. D. Lehmann, August Land, N. S. Burdette, W. J. Manning, Thomas Bailey, W. S. McChesney, R. B. Carter, A. V. Mattson, Leonard Coppage, Cecil Mikerel, John Campbell, Mills, C. H. Collins, Frank Oleson, V. L. Collins, Frank Ockman, Mr. Cavanaugh, Henry Osborn, John R. Carmichael, James Phillips, A. Carson, J. J. Porter, S. J. Cloyes, John H. Perkins, Joseph Crutcher, James W. Peck, C. W. Jr. Desrouches, H. Passo, Audouil Dayton, Fern Read, Henry Delmore, A. Strong, P. M.

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